



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

Raffael LAHAV et al

Serial No.: 10/018,992

Filed: February 19, 2003

For: STABLE BENZIMIDAZOLE  
FORMULATION

Group Art Unit: 1618

Attorney Docket: 24305

Examiner: Simon J. Oj

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**

Sir:

- (1) This is a petition for an extension of time to respond to the Final Office Action mailed December 6, 2005, for a period of THREE (3) months.
- (2) Applicant is a:   
     \_\_\_ small entity      \_\_\_ verified statement attached  
                              \_\_\_ verified statement filed
- |    |  |                                 |   |
|----|--|---------------------------------|---|
| 3. | Extensions<br>(months)                           | Fees for<br><u>small entity</u> | Fee for other than<br><u>small entity</u> |
|    | <input type="checkbox"/> one month               | \$ 60.00                        | \$ 120.00                                 |
|    | <input type="checkbox"/> two months              | \$ 225.00                       | \$ 450.00                                 |
|    | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> three months | \$ 510.00                       | \$ 1020.00                                |
|    | <input type="checkbox"/> four months             | \$ 795.00                       | \$ 1590.00                                |
|    | <input type="checkbox"/> five months             | \$1080.00                       | \$ 2160.00                                |
- (4) An RCE ☒ is filed herewith  
       \_\_\_ has been filed
- (5) Please charge the extension fee and any other amount required to Deposit Account No. 50-1407. A duplicate copy of this form is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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